

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Linda W. Cropp
Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia

FROM: Natwar M. Gandhi
Chief Financial Officer

DATE: November 5, 2002

SUBJECT: Fiscal Impact Statement: "Legal Service Government Attorney
Certificate of Good Standing Filing Requirement Rulemaking
Approval Resolution of 2002"

REFERENCE: Draft Resolution as Introduced - No Number Available

Conclusion

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2003 through FY 2006 consensus budget and financial plan as agreed upon by the Mayor and the Council of the District of Columbia. No additional staff or resources will be required. All costs will be absorbed by existing District operations.

Background

The proposed resolution would approve the Mayor's proposed rules to implement D.C. Law 14-182, the Government Attorney Certificate of Good Standing Filing Requirement Amendment Act of 2002. D.C. Law 14-182 was enacted on August 30, 2002.

The rules will affect legal service attorneys employed by the government of District of Columbia who are required to be a member of the legal bar. These attorneys are required to have a Certificate of Good Standing on file with the District Office of Personnel. The proposed rules order the required certificates to be on file no later than December 15 for every year of employment. Additional rules address termination, publication, notification and document procedures.

Financial Plan Impact

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2003 through FY 2006 budget and financial plan. No additional staff or resources will be required and any additional costs will be absorbed by existing District operations.

The Chief Financial Officer's legislative fiscal analysis is prepared by the Special Projects and Fiscal Analysis Administration in the Office of Research and Analysis. Contact us at 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 400S, Washington D.C., 20001 or view our work on-line at <http://cfo.dc.gov>.